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RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Responsive to the action mailed August 9, 2004, applicants elect the invention of Species 1 (claims 1-2, 4-5 and 7-11) drawn to a peak of concentration profile of a first dopant impurity located in the insulating film. The election is made without traverse.

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Respectfully submitted,

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